

Holwell, J

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

NEXTEC APPLICATIONS, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

BROOKWOOD COMPANIES, INC. and
THE HALLWOOD GROUP, INC.,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 07 CV 6901 (RJH)

STIPULATION AND ORDER

WHEREAS, Nextec Applications, Inc. served its complaint in this matter (the "Complaint") on Brookwood Companies, Inc. on July 31, 2007 and on The Hallwood Group, Inc. on August 2, 2007 (collectively, "Defendants");

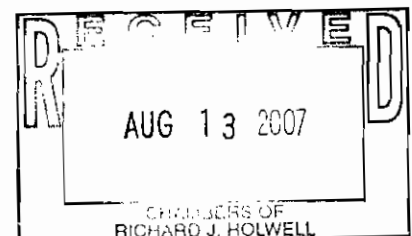
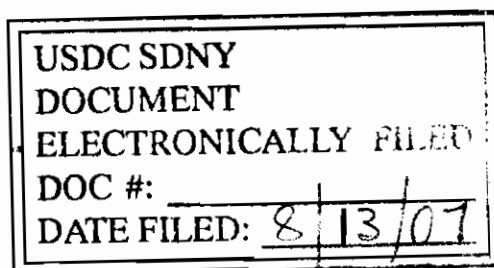
WHEREAS, Defendants' first responsive pleading to the Complaint is otherwise due on August 20, 2007;

WHEREAS, this is the first request by any of the parties for an extension;

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and among counsel for all parties, that:

1. The time for Defendants to answer, move or otherwise respond to the Complaint shall be extended for thirty (30) days, i.e. through and including September 19, 2007; and
2. A signature transmitted by email or facsimile shall be deemed an original, valid and binding signature to this stipulation.

Dated: August 10, 2007



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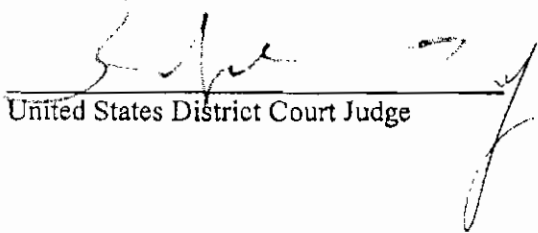
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SO ORDERED this 12 day of August, 2007


United States District Court Judge